VIA ECF

Hon. Paul G. Gardephe United States District Court Southern District of New York 40 Foley Square

MEMO ENDORSED: The application is denied. The conference will proceed as scheduled on March 14, 2024, at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 705 of the Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse, 40 Foley Square, New York, New York.

Koul & Londgete

SO ORDERED.

Paul G. Gardephe

United States District Judge

Dated: March 13, 2024

New York, NY 10007

Dear Judge Gardephe:

Re:

Nike, Inc. ("Nike") and USAPE LLC ("BAPE") (collectively, the "Parties") submitted a Joint Letter and accompanying Proposed Case Management Plan on March 7, 2024. (ECF Nos. 36, 37). As discussed therein, the Parties agree on a Proposed Case Management Plan and Scheduling Order. (ECF No. 37). In view of the Parties' agreement, Nike respectfully requests adjournment of the Pretrial Conference currently scheduled for March 14, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. (ECF No. 35).

Nike, Inc. v. USAPE LLC (1:23-cv-00660

Pursuant to Your Honor's Individual Practices Section I.E, the Nike further provides the following information:

- 1. The Pretrial Conference is scheduled for March 14, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. (ECF No. 35);
- 2. Nike requests adjournment of the Pretrial Conference until after discovery in the above captioned-case is closed. See ECF No. 37 (jointly requesting that discovery in the case be closed no later than Friday, December 20, 2024);
- 3. Nike requests adjournment because the Parties are in agreement as to the Proposed Case Management Plan and Scheduling Order;
- 4. In view of the Parties' agreement on the Proposed Case Management Plan and Scheduling Order, Nike circulated a joint request to adjourn the Pretrial Conference to BAPE on March 7, 2024. The same day, BAPE's counsel indicated that they could not agree to an adjournment at that time because they needed to confer with their client. Nike followed up by email on March 11, 2024, and again by telephone on March 12, 2024. On March 12, 2024, BAPE's counsel indicated that they are still awaiting signoff from their client on this request.

In view of the foregoing, Nike respectfully requests that the Court adjourn the currently scheduled Pretrial Conference.

Hon. Paul G. Gardephe March 7, 2024 Page 2

Respectfully submitted,

By: /s/ Michael J. Gershoni

Christopher J. Renk (admitted *pro hac vice*)

Chris.Renk@arnoldporter.com
Michael J. Harris (admitted pro hac vice)
Michael.Harris@arnoldporter.com
Aaron Bowling (admitted pro hac vice)
Aaron.Bowling@arnoldporter.com
ARNOLD & PORTER KAYE SCHOLER
LLP

70 West Madison Street, Suite 4200 Chicago, Illinois 60602-4231 Telephone: (312) 583-2300 Facsimile: (312) 583-2360

Bridgette C. Gershoni (admitted *pro hac vice*)

Bridgette.Gershoni@arnoldporter.com Michael J. Gershoni (admitted *pro hac vice*)

Michael.Gershoni@arnoldporter.com ARNOLD & PORTER KAYE SCHOLER LLP

601 Massachusetts Ave. NW Washington, DC 20001 Telephone: (202) 942-6745 Facsimile: (202) 942-5999

Michael J. Sebba Michael.Sebba@arnoldporter.com ARNOLD & PORTER KAYE SCHOLER LLP

777 South Figueroa Street, 44th Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017-5844 Telephone: (213) 243-4000 Facsimile: (213) 243-4199

Counsel for Plaintiff Nike, Inc.